

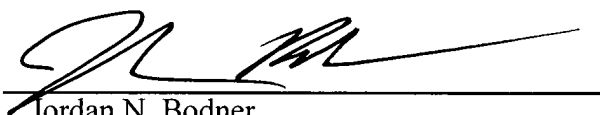
**REMARKS**

Consideration and allowance of the present application are respectfully requested.

Claims 1-28 remain pending. Should the Examiner have any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the number below

Respectfully submitted,

By:

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